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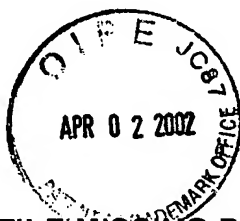
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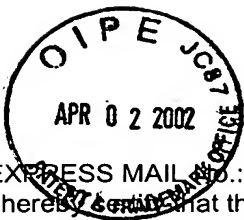
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Applicant(s): Mitsuo YOKOZAWA, et al.

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For: HOT-STAMPING FOIL TAPE CASSETTE AND FOIL-PEELING
MECHANISM FOR HOT-STAMPING DEVICE AND PEELING METHOD
FOR HOT-STAMPING FOIL AND CONTROL METHOD FOR HOT-
STAMPING FOIL TAPE CASSETTE

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COMPLETION OF APPLICATION

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith the following in order to complete the above application:

- (X) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
 - () Verified English Translation;
 - () Drawing(s) Figs. _____ / _____ () sheet(s);
 - () Applicant is entitled to claim Small Entity Status [See 37 CFR 1.27];
 - (X) Japanese Priority Document(s) No(s). 2000-326632, filed October 26, 2000 and No. 2000-333669, filed October 31, 2000, the priority(ies) of which is(are) claimed under 35 USC 119;
 - () Other:
 - (X) Formalities Letter dated February 26, 2002 (as required);
 - (X) Check in the amount of \$ 130.00
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees required with this submission to Deposit Account No: 50-1529.

With the filing of these documents, it is submitted that the application is now complete and in form for examination. Accordingly, such examination and favorable action are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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